



# Taking Root: Montana Farm School Conference

August 16<sup>th</sup>, Afternoon Field Trips

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## Participants Choose to Attend One

1:00-3:15

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| <b>Preschool</b>  | <b>Child Development Center, Montana State University, Herrick Hall</b>  |
| <b>BLUE STAR</b>  | <b>Getting Started with Farm to Preschool</b> <u>Meet in Back Hallway by Ballroom D</u><br>Participants will take a tour of the MSU Child Development Center garden, including the raised beds and greenhouse. Montana-made menus and recipes appropriate for preschoolers will be shared. Participants will also engage in nutrition education activities using the <i>USDA's Grow it, Try it, Like it!</i> curriculum.<br><br><b>Presenters:</b> Christine Lux - MSU, Department of Health and Human Development; and Bernie Mason, MSU Extension-Yellowstone County |
| <b>Elementary</b> | <b>Irving School, Bozeman School District, 611 South 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue</b>   |
| <b>RED STAR</b>   | <u>Stay in Ballroom B and C and be ready to leave at 1:05</u><br><b>Irving Edible Schoolyard and Garden</b><br>Presenters will discuss the development and maintenance of the school garden and orchard. Participants will learn how this edible landscape is incorporated into the school curriculum.<br><br><b>Presenters:</b> Heather Musselman – Bozeman; Bobbi Geise - Learning by Nature; and Irving School educator   |
| <b>CSA*/</b>      | <b>Townes Harvest Garden – Montana State University, West of Campus</b>  |
| <b>College</b>    | <u>Meet outside at South Entrance of MSU SUB; Board Karst Bus by 1:10</u>  |
| <b>GOLD STAR</b>  | <b>Townes Harvest Garden</b><br>Participants will tour the Townes Harvest Garden and learn how it supports students in learning about sustainable food systems as part of degree programs at MSU and ways it supports the community food system.<br><br><b>Presenters:</b> Anna Diffenderfer and Charles Holt, - MSU Townes Harvest Garden   |

**Refer to the MSU Campus Map for directions.**

*\*CSA = Community Supported Agriculture*